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TITLE: NUCLEIC ACIDS AND PROTEINS :
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AND USES THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows:

✓ In the claims:

Please cancel claims 12 – 17 and claims 34 – 44.

In the specification, at page 1, line 1, please insert:

-- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.
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